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Town Moves Independence Day Event to July 5

Due to expected inclement weather, the Town of Garner has rescheduled its Independence Day celebration at Lake Benson Park (921 Buffaloe Road) for Friday, July 5.

The Central Park Band will perform starting at 5:30 p.m. (with a second set beginning at 8:20 p.m.). A Kids' Adventure Zone featuring free inflatables will be open from 5 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Numerous vendors will be on hand selling food and non-alcoholic beverages.

The North Carolina Symphony's Brass Quintet will perform from 7:05 p.m. to 7:35 p.m. Immediately after that, Garner's All-America City delegation will be recognized.

The night concludes with the best fireworks in the region. The fireworks display is scheduled to begin at 9:30 p.m., but that time is subject to change, as are other elements of the event program.

Gates at the park will open at 5 p.m. Shuttles are available from Bryan Farm, located at 1832 New Bethel Church Road, beginning at 5 p.m. Handicap-accessible parking will be available at Lake Benson Park, and some limited general parking will be available at Lake Benson Park and White Deer Park (2400 Aversboro Road, across the street from Lake Benson Park).

Alcoholic beverages, glass containers, gas and charcoal grills, fireworks (including sparklers), pets, tailgating and tents are not permitted. Coolers, however, are allowed.

For more information about this free event, visit garnernc.gov or call (919) 773-4442.

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